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TO : Director, FBI

DATE: 6/14/65

ATTENTION: CRIME RECORDS

FROM : SAC, San Francisco (66-3413)

SUBJECT: ~~IRWIN MEMORIAL BLOOD BANK~~ *San Francisco Calif.*
INFORMATION CONCERNING

Enclosed is a newsletter entitled "~~Inside Story~~" dated June, 1965, which is put out monthly by the Irwin Memorial Blood Bank of San Francisco. This newsletter carries a picture and photograph concerning the FBI's participation in the blood bank. This is part of the same story which is currently appearing in the June issue of "The Investigator."

We have been advised that the Irwin Memorial Blood Bank would like to have some additional copies of "The Investigator" for use in connection with a convention which their representatives participate in. Therefore, if possible, we would appreciate receiving 25 additional copies of the June, 1965, issue of "The Investigator."

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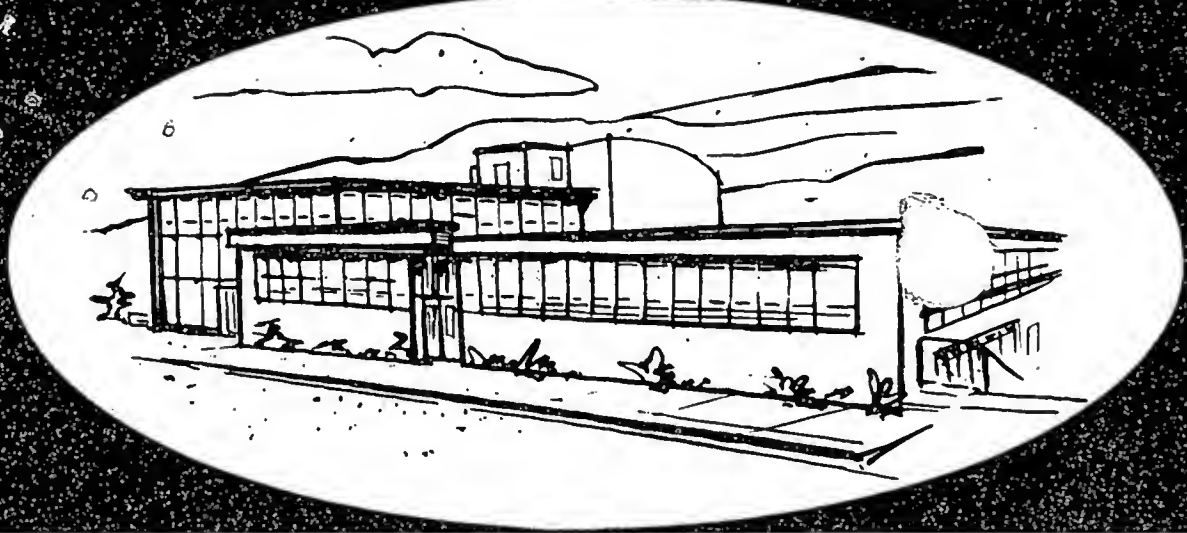
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INSIDE STORY

June, 1965

VOLUME 2 Number 1

INVESTMENT IN THE FUTURE

The "Financial Fraternity Days" bloodmobile on March 29th and 30th gave proof of the fact that investment companies like to "practice what they preach." Twenty-six firms started new reserve fund accounts due primarily to the energetic work of a team of donor recruiters made up of representatives from companies with long standing accounts with the blood bank. Assisted by Marshall Kuhn, Volunteer Coordinator of Reserve Funds for the blood bank, the team personally contacted a total of 40 firms with the result that 216 donations were made by stock and bond companies during the two-day mobile. Special thanks to Charles Harkins, Blyth & Co.; Lawrence Solari, Dean Witter & Co.; Robert Grunigen, J. Barth & Co.; Edward Albright, Birr Wilson & Co., and congratulations to the 26 new reserve fund groups. The newly formed Investment Fraternity Blood Council, headed by Chairman L. Jack Block of Stewart-Meyerson & Co. and Co-Chairman Richard Hammond of J. Barth & Co., will be responsible for scheduling future bloodmobiles for the Investment Fraternity and assisting the firms with blood donor recruitment. The Council is already making plans for another bloodmobile early in October and hopes to make this a semi-annual event from now on.



"SAN FRANCISCO'S SMOOTHEST DRAW" is the inscription on the "sharpshooters" plaque which Lewis H. Johnson, chairman of the reserve fund for the F.B.I., presented to the blood bank during their recent blood donor drive. Thirty-three men and women, including Mr. Curtis O. Lynam, Special Agent in Charge, rolled up their sleeves and gave blood to the credit of their reserve fund account. F.B.I. employees have been enthusiastic supporters of our community blood program and have been giving blood regularly since the blood bank first began operation in June, 1941. Pictured at left are Mr. Lynam, Mr. Johnson and Mrs. Wilma Cummings, Donor Recruitment Coordinator for the blood bank.

"IT'S SO MUCH EASIER" is the comment we have heard from many of our reserve fund chairmen since the Business Office has started the new month-end recapitulation statement. Mailed only to reserve fund chairmen whose accounts have had activity during

the month, the statement reflects the number of donors who have made blood donations to the credit of the account, the number of credits withdrawn from the account, and the current balance. It was designed to eliminate most of the paperwork for the chairmen, and we're glad you like it.



"PROVIDE BLOOD AND PROTECT YOUR FAMILY" is the message on the new poster which is now available for the use of reserve fund groups. The cardboard, easel-back poster is 16" by 24" and can be ordered by calling the Public Information Office at the blood bank, JOrdan 7-6400.

Also available is the "NEEDLE NOTICE" which is printed on standard size paper and can be used for individual distribution to employees or for display on bulletin boards.

IN ANSWER TO INQUIRIES we have received, our blood bank DOES NOT operate the recently opened facility on Mission Street which is advertising for blood donors in the want ad section of local newspapers. The latter is a commercial enterprise and is in no way connected with our nonprofit, medically sponsored, community blood bank, which was the first and is now the largest of its kind in the world.

BLOOD FOR VETERANS

Over 70 reserve fund groups were honored at the annual Blood For Veterans luncheon at Fort Miley Veterans Administration Hospital on April 29th. The principal theme and the purpose of the luncheon was one of tribute and appreciation to the numerous organizations, groups, and individual blood donors who have supported this program for many years. Mr. Benjamin Swig, chairman of this year's drive, was presented with a Proclamation from Mayor John F. Shelley designating the period May 30 through June 7 as "BLOOD FOR VETERANS" week and enjoining all citizens to give blood for veterans during the drive.

BLOOD BANK RECEIVES MERIT AWARD

The Native Sons of the Golden West presented an Award of Merit to the blood bank recently, for its outstanding service to the community and for flying the California State Bear Flag at the blood bank headquarters. The award was presented to Mrs. Bernice M. Hemphill, Managing Director, by Mr. James Boitano, District Attorney of Napa County and Grand President of the state organization of the Native Sons.

Present at the award ceremony, held at the blood bank, was Miss Anne Shaw of the Joint Extension of the Order Committee of Native Sons and Daughters and also chairman of the blood reserve fund



account for the organization. Seventeen members gave blood during a recent drive and credited their reserve fund account, thereby assuring that blood will be in readiness if needed by any of their members and also helping to provide the blood bank with the 70,000 pints of blood which are required annually to supply the needs of the patients in the communities which it serves. Pictured on the preceding page are Miss Shaw, Mrs. Hemphill and Mr. Boitano.

A HEARTY WELCOME TO THE NEW RESERVE FUND GROUPS who have joined us through April of this year.

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 (Golden State Chapter #90)

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 Mr. Sanford Hutchison
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 Miss Maja Peters
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Mr. P. Schmidt

VACATION TIME IS DONATION TIME

Summer is here and this can be a critical time for our blood bank due to the high incidence of traffic accidents and the vacation schedules of our blood donors. Won't you remind your employees that your blood reserve fund account can be used anywhere in the country and urge them to MAKE A DATE TO DONATE before they leave for their vacation?

LEAVE YOUR BLOOD AT THE BLOOD BANK.....NOT ON THE HIGHWAYS!

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 12/7/59

FROM : SAC, PHILADELPHIA (65-0)

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SUBJECT: NEW SOVIET INTELLIGENCE AGENCY
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On 12/2/59, [] who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised that the magazine "Inside Story" of January 1960, Page 14, had an interesting article captioned, "The Top Secret Report That Shook Up KHRUSHCHEV," by WALTER L. WINDSOR. The story relates that a New Soviet Superintelligence Agency has been created known as the B.R.B.Z. (Central Bureau of Intelligence and Security). The Prague branch of the agency has contacts with Red spy centers in Central and South America who in turn have connections in the United States.

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Honorable Bernard H. Matthies
Seymour, Connecticut

My dear Mr. Matthies:

Your letter of December 18, 1957, with enclosure, has been received, and I appreciate the interest which prompted your writing. While it was indeed thoughtful of you to make this material available, I should like to point out that the matter which you described is not one within the investigative jurisdiction of this Bureau.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

NOTE: We have had previous correspondence from Matthies in 1940 when he furnished material which he believed to be pro-Nazi, and again in October, 1957, when he wrote to compliment the Director on his "Warning To U. S. Teen-Agers" at which time he advised he had served fourteen sessions in the House of Representatives, Connecticut State Legislature, and served extensively on the Motor Vehicle Committee of that body. Inside address and salutation from our letter to Matthies November 5, 1957. Enclosure consists of three pages dealing with an article from "Inside Story", February, 1958, entitled "The Truth About the 1958 Cars." (94-8-69-1630)

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B. H. MATTHIES
SEYMOUR, CONNECTICUT

December 18, 1957

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C.

INSIDE STORY

Dear Mr. Hoover:

To be sure, there are all kinds of magazines and all kinds of articles, but I have read this article in regard to the 1958 cars and I certainly don't like it, and from my experience with a 1957 Cadillac, and what I know about other people who had General Motors 1957 cars, I think there is considerable truth in this article.

I have marked things with red that I consider important in here, and trust that this article may be of some use to you and something can be done with the manufacturers to make them realize the safety angle of cars.

Yours truly

B. H. Matthies

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THE TRUTH ABOUT

THE 1958 CARS

The big, big advertising campaign for 1958 cars is now under way. But here are the facts the ads WON'T tell you . . .

A few weeks ago, a gleaming new 1958 hard-top convertible sped along the Pennsylvania Turnpike at 55 mph. At the wheel was a young insurance executive named Tom Pawley. Beside him sat his wife, an expectant mother.

Suddenly, a car coming in the opposite direction swerved over into Pawley's lane. Pawley slowed his automobile to about 30 mph and turned toward the shoulder of the road. But he turned too far. His front right tire hit the soft dirt at the side of the road.

In a fraction of a second, the car was out of control and spinning like a top. Finally, it came to rest in a field about 75 yards from the road. When rescuers arrived, Pawley was dead, his chest caved in by the steering wheel. His wife had been thrown through the opened door and was critically injured.

The 1958 automobile itself was almost as good as new. After all, it was only going 30 mph when the crack-up occurred. A little fixing up, and it would be ready for another driver, another family—another deadly accident.

On the records of the Pennsylvania highway patrol, the cause of the accident is listed as "bad judgment on the part of the driver in turning too far to the right to avoid an oncoming vehicle."

But police didn't list the *real* causes of this grue-

some tragedy. They didn't mention the soft balloon tires that didn't grip the road, the protruding steering post that impaled the driver, the door that should have stayed closed and didn't, causing Mrs. Pawley to be catapulted to the ground with terrific force.

For in spite of their fishtails, fuel injectors, vertical grilles, chromium spokes, torsion bars, and dashboards that light up like a rocket ship's control panel, the new 1958 cars carry death at their controls.

Some of you now reading this article will be dead in six months or a year because of car accidents. You will die needlessly—because equipment *now available* would have saved your life.

Talking for the last three weeks with automobile engineers, designers and salesmen of all the major car manufacturers has convinced this writer that the automobile industry—with Ford a notable exception—has joined in a conspiracy of silence on the subject of safety equipment.

Declared one of Detroit's foremost designers:

"Long ago, the industry decided that the average American driver was an imbecile who can be hypnotized into buying by the presence of chromium bands, colored lights and hefty horsepower. The

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THE TRUTH ABOUT THE 1958 CARS!

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1958 models are perfect examples of that attitude.

"If we stress safety, and try to push safety equipment, we lose sales," is a familiar complaint of automobile salesmen from coast to coast. "Just mention the word 'accident', and your prospect will rush across the street to buy your competitor's car—which doesn't have accidents."

An American racing driver, who has won major automobile speed races both here and in Europe, says this about the 1958 cars:

"I'd feel safer doing 170 miles an hour on the track in a European car than 70 on a highway in any American car."

Too Much Power

The new American cars feature 325 to 350 horsepower. If you ask an auto salesman why car engines have been rigged to attain speeds of 140 miles an hour he'll tell you that greatly increased speeds will enable you to avoid accidents.

Pure hogwash, says New York's Traffic Commissioner T. T. Wiley. The Commissioner asks what good it does to have a car that goes up to 145 mph when no highway in the United States has a legal speed limit higher than 65 mph.

"What's worse," declares an official of the National Safety Council, "this kind of spiel is deliberate misrepresentation by automobile makers. In spite of what they tell you, most fatal accidents—almost 80 percent—occur at speeds of less than 40 miles an hour. It's the way the automobile itself is designed that is responsible for most deaths on the highway."

Just a few short weeks ago, James Bryce took his wife and two children riding in his brand new 1958 car for the first time. As he rolled out of his

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garage onto the street, he called to his next-door neighbor and pointed to his curved windshield:

"Isn't that windshield somethin'? Salesman said it's safer too. You can see more of the road."

Two hours later, Mrs. Bryce was dead, and the car was a total wreck. And all the bleeding, hysterical husband could mumble was:

"I couldn't see through the windshield... I couldn't see through the windshield."

Dr. Dupont Guerrey III, Chairman of the Department of Ophthalmology, University of Virginia, characterizes the wrap-around windshield as a "stylist's nightmare allowed to run rampant. The driver who must use the curved windshield suffers from terrific visual distortion, increased glare, and ghost images resulting from surface reflections exaggerated by the acute curvature."

To put it more bluntly, the driver can't see where he's going. Bryce, and hundreds more like him, found that out the hard way.

Hard-top styling is another designer's death trap. A typical case—among scores of others—of what can happen in a hard-top automobile occurred in Chicago in December. Traveling in a 1958 hard-top convertible at about 43 mph, a salesman sped along the Outer Drive.

Hard-Tops Are Death Traps

The road was icy. Suddenly a car came out of a side lane without warning. The salesman swerved, but his tires wouldn't hold the pavement. His car turned over. At the third roll, the roof gave way with a sharp screeching sound. The driver was crushed between the roof and the floor of the car and killed instantly.

An insurance company adjuster who wrote the report on this accident told me:

"If the car had not been a hard-top, the driver would have walked away from that accident!"

There's no doubt that hard-top styling makes a car look better. But with the center-post support gone, a roll-over means death or, at best, serious injury.

Although they know that more than 20 percent of traffic deaths involve roll-overs, auto manufacturers continue to push their hard-top models via sales promotions and multi-million dollar advertising campaigns, while carefully concealing the facts

from the auto-buying public. (Ford is an exception. They have a built-in hidden post support in their hardtops to protect passengers.)

Dashboards and inside fronts of the new cars are futuristic dreams. Dials with multi-colored lights, radios, record players, and sculptured leather panels are covered in thick foam rubber. But accident records are full of testimony about the injuries these features can inflict on the motorist.

This reporter read a police accident chart for a typical day in a small southeastern city. It listed the following:

Sudden braking at 39 mph. Driver unhurt. Passenger beside him thrown into dashboard. Radio knob caused five-inch gash in left eye and nose resulting in blindness.

Driver slammed into telephone pole at about 27 mph. Unhurt. Passenger beside him thrown into foam rubber dashboard and suffered broken neck.

Driver hit from left side while traveling at 35 mph. Thrown toward right door. Suffered broken leg and lacerations when lower part of his body struck heater panels.

Multiply these cases by those on thousands of other police blotters all over the country and you have some idea of how dangerous the modern car's dashboard is.

Some car manufacturers are more guilty than others in this respect. Many have tried to clean up the dashboard and have substituted plastic padding for the bone-crushing foam rubber. But when such safety features conflict with beauty of styling, they are thrown out. An auto executive told this writer:

"One of our biggest sales points is the dashboard. Car buyers are like children when it comes to liking pretty dials and lights."

But the worst offense against automobile passengers involves the safety belt.

Several years ago, Liberty Mutual Insurance Company announced that its exhaustive study of auto accidents had proved without question that the safety belt cuts down deaths by at least 30 percent, and reduces injuries by even more. Automobile makers simply ignored the report.

When the House Interstate and Foreign Commerce committee was investigating the problem of safety in automobiles, manufacturers admitted that safety belts might reduce deaths on the nation's highways by as much

as one-half.

Why, then, you may ask, are not safety belts standard equipment on all cars?

"Campaigns for safety belts only scare away customers," declared one auto executive. "We're interested in selling cars."

In my study of accidents, I found that the most painful and most serious injuries were most often caused by the steering wheel. It is a common experience to see the deadly phrase on a police blotter:

"Impaled by steering wheel."

Studies at the Cornell University auto safety center confirm my findings. They show that fully 40 percent of all serious injuries in auto accidents are the result of wheel spokes which snap or wheel center posts which crash into chest or stomach.

Although many auto manufacturers have adopted the "deep-dish" wheel design, which prevents such injuries, many others continue to use the protruding center post.

If you're one of those who intends to buy a new car, remember that safety is more important for you than beauty, and be sure you check for the following:

① Absence of seat tracks. In any major accident, the seat almost always breaks loose from the body of the car, hurling the occupants forward with fatal impact. Tracks hold the seats firmly no matter how forceful the shock of collision is.

② Big, soft tires mounted on 14-inch wheels. These big tires are difficult to steer at low speeds, and the small wheels reduce available brake area.

③ Dangerous placement of inside door handles and window cranks. They can gash or blind a passenger even in a minor collision.

④ Exaggerated body lengths and fishtails that restrict vision and make turning difficult.

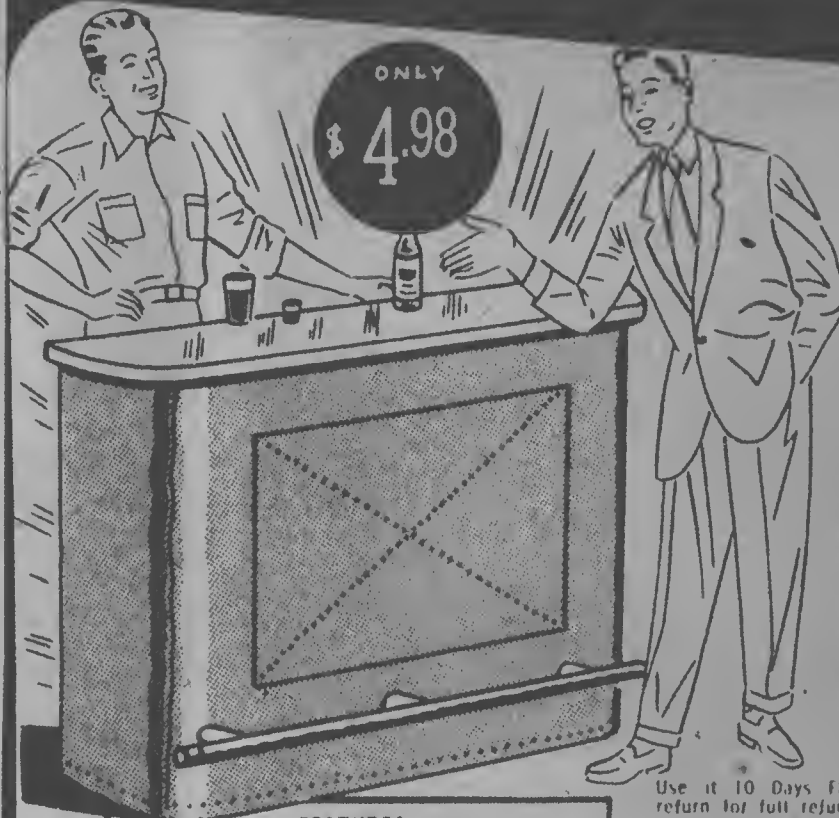
⑤ Tinted windshields, which make night driving a deadly hazard.

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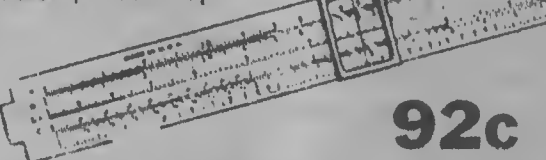
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Floyd A. Conner
Sulphur Springs, Iowa.

April 19, 1955

0/inside Story

Mr. Edgar Hoover
F. B. I.
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

A member of our journalism group found this magazine on one of our store counters and we are quite concerned about it.

The article which caught our eye first was the one on the Reader's Digest. Every article in the book is degrading and we think it has leanings toward communism.

Of course we know nothing about the company publishing it, nor any of the people listed as editors, publisher, etc.

In all probability you are familiar with this magazine or its type and probably nothing can be but our class feels it is not a desirable magazine and want to make some kind of a protest against it.

Sincerely yours,

Phoebe LaFoy (Mrs.)
Mrs. Phoebe LaFoy
High School Instructor

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HOLLYWOOD
STARS!**

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Mrs. Phoebe LaFoy
Providence Consolidated School
Sulphur Springs, Iowa

Dear Mrs. LaFoy:

I want to thank you and your journalism group for the interest which prompted your letter of April 19, 1955, with enclosure. It is a pleasure to send you some material on juvenile delinquency which you and your class may enjoy reading.

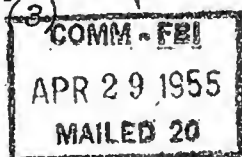
Sincerely yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director

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How Good A Parent Are You?
The Sunday School-Key to Tomorrow
You Can Help Stop Juvenile Crime
Juvenile Delinquency (Syracuse)
Juvenile Delinquency (Senate)

NOTE: Mrs. LaFoy enclosed a copy of the June 1955, issue of the magazine "Inside Story." This magazine is of the sexy sensational variety, similar to "Confidential" and "Surpressed" and contains no information of interest to the Bureau. Based on available information, Bufiles contain no record identifiable with the Editor or Publisher of this magazine. (94-48474, 1)
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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Nichols

DATE: March 11, 1955

FROM : M. A. Jones

SUBJECT: "INSIDE STORY" MAY, 1955
 ARTICLE "HOW STOOL PIGEONS MADE
 J. EDGAR HOOVER FAMOUS" BY
 JOHN GARDENER RACE

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Captioned magazine is published bimonthly by JB Publishing Corporation, 220 West 42nd Street, New York City. Publisher is John B. Musacchia and the editor is William Woolfolk. Captioned article concerned basically with the use by law enforcement agencies of informants in connection with criminal matters. The article indicates that various law enforcement agencies depend on "stool pigeons" to carry out their functions and refers to stool pigeons as "the law's most hush-hush, but most indispensable allies." The author mentions cases concerning Lucky Luciano, Waxe Gordon, Frank Costello, John Dillinger and others as criminals who have fallen as a result of information furnished by informants. Reference is made to the Dillinger case and the use of Anna Sage as the "female Judas" who revealed Dillinger's whereabouts. Reference is made to the Bureau's use of informants in security investigations and states the Director "organized a 'stool pigeon' cadre of FBI men masquerading as Reds" and it is humorously pointed out that some FBI men posing as party members were turning in reports on other Bureau informants. These stool pigeons, according to the author, helped "to make the reputation of such famed crime-busters as our renowned chief of the FBI, J. Edgar Hoover."

The story in itself is not pointedly critical although it is felt that to the best interest of law enforcement and the Bureau such stories should not be printed.

Based on available identifying information Bufiles have been searched and no information identifiable with the following was located: John Gardener Race, author; John B. Musacchia, publisher; William Woolfolk, editor; JB Publishing Corporation and "Inside Story." It is to be noted however that Bufiles contain a reference to a John Musacchia, born 1926, whose name appears on I.W.O. Monthly Dues Collection lists. (61-7341-34-364, page 402, 1129 encl.)

This magazine is of the sexy, sensational variety similar to magazines "Confidential" and "Surpressed," and it is not believed advisable to take any action in connection with this story. Captioned magazine is attached.

RECOMMENDATION: None. For information.

cc - Mr. Nichols
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At any rate, the chances are 98 to 1 that you do not have alopecia areata.

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Now we can clear the air. Up to this time no one has discovered how to GROW HAIR ON A BALD HEAD. So, if you are already bald, make up your mind you are going to stay that way. Quit worrying about it — enjoy yourself.

But if you are beginning to notice that your forehead is getting larger in area, beginning to notice that there is too much hair on your comb, beginning to be worried about the dryness of your hair, the itchiness of your scalp, the ugly dandruff — these are Nature's Red Flags, warning you of impending baldness. Even if you have been losing your hair for some time, and the remaining hairs are thin, downy in texture, as long as your scalp does not

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Vitamin A to the scalp, which, according to many medical authorities, may be an essential growth factor to the hair follicles. (2) As a highly effective antiseptic, Keratone kills on contact all the seborrhea-causing scalp bacteria believed to be a major cause of baldness. By its keratolytic action it dissolves ugly dandruff, it controls seborrhea, thereby tending to normalize the lubrication of the hair shaft, and eliminating head scales and scalp itch. In short, Keratone combines in a single effective treatment all that modern science has developed for the preservation of your hair.

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RUSH THIS NO-RISK COUPON TODAY!

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sold to an unsuspecting public.

It had bills of sale stolen from seven motor vehicle agencies in New Jersey, duplicate bills of sale obtained by confederates who had falsely reported loss of the original document, and certificates obtained from junk dealers who had failed to turn in bills of sale when they junked a machine.

To thwart thieves, for the past decade motor manufacturers have been putting secret serial numbers at dozens of places, in inaccessible spots where discovery by a thief is almost impossible.

These secret codes make identification

of a stolen car by an expert inevitable.

Several times a year police authorities and insurance investigators make a spot-check of cars parked in public garages, detect numerous stolen cars by reading their secret identifications.

If it turns out that you have unknowingly bought a hot car, the car is restored to its rightful owner and you have no claim against your insurance company.

To avoid purchasing a stolen car, observe these precautions:

1. Beware the seller who wants cash

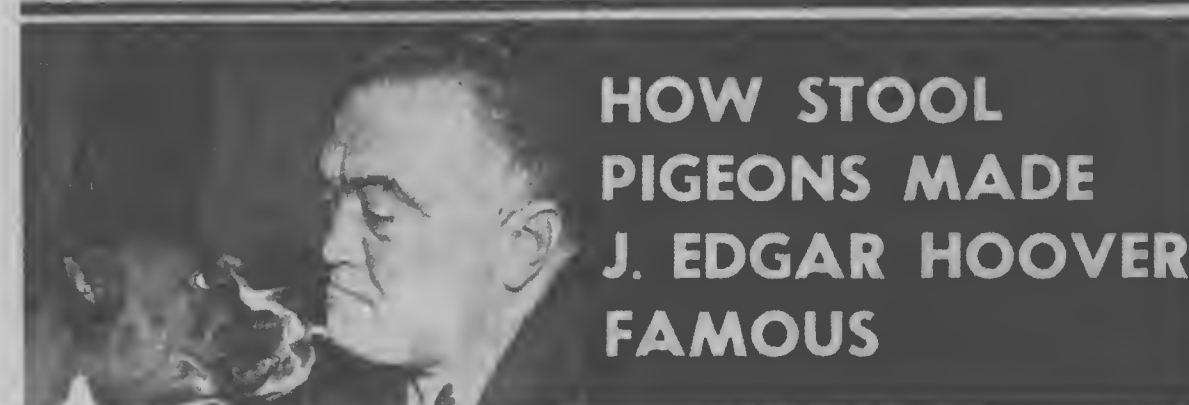
instead of a check.

2. Don't close the deal in a hurry. Wait a few days. Auto thieves can't wait; they have to sell in a hurry.

3. Take time to investigate when the price seems too low.

4. If you are at all suspicious, call up police headquarters and have the engine number compared to those on the list of stolen cars.

5. Car racketeers are clever enough but they can be outsmarted by a vigilant public that knows the INSIDE STORY of how they operate.



HOW STOOL PIGEONS MADE J. EDGAR HOOVER FAMOUS

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looking for an out, who advised a then up-and-coming district attorney named William O'Dwyer that he was willing to play ball. Rudolph sang a carol implicating Murder, Inc. directors "Duke" Mafetore, "Bugsy" Goldstein, "Pretty Boy" Levine and Abe "Kid Twist" Reles in a series of murders.

Rudolph's information was not enough to insure convictions, but the police were able to convert Reles into their No. 2 pigeon and that proved enough to wipe out this insidious combination.

Reles was baited into a neat but simple trap. Police spread the word that the other mobsters were going to talk and pin everything on Reles. As soon as he got wind of the story, he rushed down and pinned everything on them!

Lady pigeons are not as numerous as their male counterparts but they're every bit as effective. A lady pigeon put the skids under John Dillinger and made J. Edgar Hoover and his G-Men immortal. She was red-haired Anna Sage, a veteran practitioner of the oldest profession who had occasionally played hostess to the notorious gangster. She and a girl friend hid Dillinger out when he was on the lam, but when Anna discovered the federals had a couple of ironclad charges outstanding against her, she decided to use Dillinger to buy her own immunity.

The female Judas dropped in at the Chicago office of the F.B.I., made a discreet deal, and then induced Dillinger to

take her and her girl friend out to a movie. When the bad man stepped out of the theater, the G-Men were waiting for him. Dillinger refused to surrender and was riddled with thirty bullets.

Who's A Communist?

That experience apparently convinced J. Edgar Hoover of the value of stool pigeons. When he began his warfare against the Communists he not only relied upon Communist party members to inform against their fellows, but he organized a "stool pigeon" cadre of FBI men masquerading as Reds.

Some of these, like Herbert Philbrick, rose to positions of importance and responsibility within the party apparatus. Since none of J. Edgar's "stoolies" even knew the identity of other FBI men who were acting as Communists, an amusing but inevitable result followed.

Some FBI men posing as party members turned in regular reports on other "Communists" who were actually FBI men engaged on a similar mission! This is probably the first time in history that "stool pigeons" were spying on each other.

But J. Edgar Hoover is not the only man whose reputation is owed in large part to the undercover work of stool pigeons.

Charles "Lucky" Luciano, pooh-bah of the infamous Mafia, was undone by a woman warbler, although the glory of his

conviction went to prosecutor Dewey. The odd angle to Luciano's downfall is that the lady who did the chirping had her sights set on John Frederico, a Luciano Lieutenant, rather than Lucky himself.

Frederico's long-time gal friend was a bawdy lady known as "Cokie Flo". Her charms finally paled on him, so he tossed her out in favor of a younger woman. For the sake of sweet revenge, Cokie Flo trilled the whole odyssey of her ex-boy friend's activities to the district attorney.

The D.A. induced Flo to add some information about Lucky as well, and the Mafia king-pin went to Sing Sing on a thirty-year rap. Strangely enough, "Lucky" was mysteriously released, and deported years later under circumstances indicating that the man who was betrayed by a stool had turned stool himself.

Some pigeons are automatic warblers, congenital babblers who can hardly wait to hear something along the criminal grapevine before they're shouting the information from every tree-top. The more useful pigeon, however, is what the police call a "manufactured" type. To manufacture a pigeon takes experience and a sound knowledge of criminal psychology.

How To Catch A Pigeon

The process often works like this: A detective rounds up members of a certain gang. One of the lesser members strikes him as a weak person, the kind who would make deals. The detective therefore decides to let the weak hoodlum go, or tries to get him put on probation with the understanding that the hoodlum will be beholden to him in the future to supply data about crime and criminals.

By the same token, a federal agent may pick up a man who is in the country illegally or is a fugitive from some minor charge. If the man can supply useful information about smuggling rings or coun-

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STOOL PIGEONS (Continued)

terfeiter, he may be kept out of jail and away from deportation hearings and established as a pigeon.

Each detective likes to maintain his secret coterie of personal stool pigeons and resents any poaching on his preserves by outsiders. Some of the pigeons are useful only in certain neighborhoods or with certain groups of criminals. If a pigeon is picked up on some charge outside his own area, his detective will usually go to bat for him and plead his usefulness in order to save him from the pen.

They Put On A Good Act

In their contacts with their secret criminal informers, the police have to be very careful. The stoolies meet them in dark alleys and never show their faces around a station-house. Phone conversations are carried on in code. If the pigeons are rounded up with other members of a gang, they must be treated as the worst enemies the law ever had.

If the gang requires a good going-over, for instance, the pigeon must collect his share of bloody noses along with the others.

This may be painful, but it is a small

price for a pigeon to pay to save himself from the sadistic vengeance the underworld metes out to known informers.

Whenever a bullet-ridden, unidentified body is found in a vacant lot, chances are a pigeon's wings have been clipped. Furthermore, canaries are frequently considered too despicable even to rate the bullet treatment.

Al Capone used to eliminate them by beating them to death with baseball bats. Schultz used to clutter up the bottom of the Hudson River with their cement-encased bodies. "Mad Dog" Coll was fond of dissecting them with the finesse of a butcher. "Lepke" Buchalter sometimes garroted them to death, sometimes burned them alive in gasoline, and sometimes stuck ice picks in their skulls and let them die slowly.

Somehow, enough canaries remained alive finally to turn the tables on these master-murderers. And although big-fry gangsters come and go, the small-fry talking pigeon seems to go on forever. In the process, he sends plenty of criminal compatriots to prison or to the execution chamber, and helps to make the reputation of such famed crime-busters as our renowned chief of the FBI, J. Edgar Hoover.



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BIG BEAUTY CONTESTS ARE FIXED!

housewife customers.

So they arranged with the promoters to toss her votes down the drain and announce Mrs. Duncan as the winner!

A pretty Michigan co-ed openly hurled the "fix" charge at the recent *National College Queen* contest, staged by a promotional whiz named Max Rosey.

The co-ed, 19-year-old Rosalind Sappington of Detroit, insisted she heard a group of sponsors exchanging indiscreet small talk with Rosey the night before the final judging.

"They said they wanted a girl from

Miami University as the winner because she had contacts in Miami and New York, would be able to entertain big money-men in those areas, and so help in promotional activities," Rosalind charged.

"Sure enough, the next day, the Miami girl was picked as the contest queen."

It is an open secret at the big contests that New York and California entrants have so little chance of winning they might just as well stay home.

"No matter which girl is picked to win an important beauty contest, both she and the products she's endorsing will get a good press play in New York and Los

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 4/8/55

FROM : SAC, DENVER (100-0)

SUBJECT: COMINFIL
MAGAZINE "INSIDE STORY"
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There is attached for the Bureau a copy of the May, 1955, issue of the magazine "Inside Story." On April 1, 1955, JOHN LAUTNER gave this magazine to SA JOSEPH C. LEARNED and requested that it be furnished the Bureau. LAUTNER pointed out that there are two individuals named on the staff appearing on page four of the magazine, that is, DOROTHY LOEB and NORMA ABRAMS, whom he knew to be members of the CP at one time.

He said that DOROTHY LOEB in 1945 lived on 16th Street between 6th and 7th Avenues in New York. He said that LOEB was the Section Organizer at that time of a Government Workers Group in New York. He said that she was a reporter at that time, in 1945, on the "Daily Worker" and wrote articles under her true name.

LAUTNER stated that NORMA ABRAMS was a member of the CP assigned to the State, County, and Municipal Workers Union.

Mr. LAUTNER stated that he did not know JOHN GARDENER/RACE, the author of the article appearing on page 28.

Three copies of this letter are being furnished New York for its information.

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